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PATENTS ISSUED DURING THE REGAL GOVERNMENT.

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The book in which the patent was recorded, the page, the patentee's name, date of issue, number of acres, and the locality of the lands.

JAMES CITY COUNTY.

Book No. 4.

Page 7. David Phillips. Jan'y 24, 1655. 600 acres. On the north side of James River, & on the No. E^{t}. side of Mosschis Creek.

8. William Fry. Feby 6, 1655. 252 acres. On the north side of James river; So. W^{t}. on the main river, S^{o}. E^{t}. on Capt. Edlows land.

8. John Williams. Decr. 29, 1655. 600 acres. On the north side of James river, & on the Westerly side of Chickahominy river, & on the north east side of Mosses Creek.

9. Richard Hamlet. Mar. 9, 1655. 497 acres. On the North East side of Chickahominy river.

10. Richard Williams. Novr. last, 1653. 1550 acres, part of the land lies on the N^{o}. E^{t}. side of Chickahominy river adjoin'g the land of Capt. Barkley.

11. Samuel Smith. Decr. 2nd, 1655. 100 acres. On the North side of James river & on the N^{o}. W^{t}. of Chickahominy river, & on the Northerly side of Moses run.

12. John Coale (Note—The Pat^{t}. renewed, &c., March 18, 1662). Jan'y 3, 1655. 750 acres. On the North side of James river, & on the South side of Moses run.

23. John Lingo. Novr. 18, 1655. 350 acres. On the So. W^{t}. side of Chickahominy river, behind the land of Mr. Bromfield.

26. Edward Coale. Novr. 26, 1655. 900 acres. On the North side of James river, & on the N^{o}. W^{t}. side of Chickahominy river, & on the Northerly side of the head of Moses' Creek.

28. Robert Castle. March 11, 1655. 300 acres. On the N^{o}. side of James river & in the middle of Chickahominy river, commonly called the lower gulf branch, the lower end of said Marsh.

36. Thomas Rolfe. Ap^{l}. 25, 1656. 300 acres. On the N^{o}. E^{t}. side of Wallingford river, alias Chickahominy, adjoin'g a tract of land of 550 ac^{s}. of s^{d}. Rolfe's & Edward Diggs's.

37. Roger Wolmsly and Richard Ingram. Apl. 25, 1656. 200 acres. On the North side of James river, Beg'g at Bartholomew Knipes, upper corner tree.

44. William Fry. Ap^{l}. 29, 1656. 750 acres. On the W^{t}. side of Chickahominy river, adjoining the land of Humphrey England.

73. Griffith Dickinson. Jan'y 5, 1656. 300. On the S^{o}. W^{t}. side of Moses's Creek & on the Northerly branch of Tomahack Creek, above Nickatorinces quarter.

77. William Crump & Humphrey Vaulx. Jan'y 26, 1656. 1000 acres. Near Richohock path and behind land sometimes of Thomas Gibson, deceased.

80. Henry Soane. (Note—Pat^{t}. renewed, &c., Mar. 18, 1662.) Decr. 10, 1656. 2200 acres. On the N^{o}. E^{t}. side of Chickahominy river called by the name of Richohocke.

81. John Bromfield. Decr. 15, 1656. 1200 acres. Near the head of Archers hope creek.

81. Hister Oakham. Octr. 30, 1656. 150 acres. On the N^{o}. side of James river, adjoin'g the land of Matthew Warrener, Captn Elico & M^{r}. Fry.

88. John Bauldwin. Octr. 4, 1656. 15 A. 69 P. In James Island, between the main river, & the back river, Bounded viz., 10 ac^{s}. part thereof Easterly upon Mr. James' Land.

90. Nicholas Meriwether & John Leach. Octr. 23^{d}, 1656. 200 acres. On the N^{o}. E^{t}. side of Powhatan Swamp.

95. Richard Barnhouse. Octr. 28, 1656. 380 acres. On the West Side of Burchen Swamp.

101. John Phipe. Feb'y 23^{d}, 1656. 120 Acres, part thereof in James Citie's Liberties, Begin'g on the N^{o}. side of the Back street, 12 acs. formerly grt^{d}. to Dr. John Potts, dated Sep^{t}. 20, 1628, 108 the residue, Beg'g & Adjoin'g the land of Richard James.

107. Nicholas Meriwether. Decr. 15, 1656. 297 acres. In James County. On the East side of Chickahominy river, commonly known and called by the name of Hog's land.

117. John Shell. (Note—Pat^{t}. renewed, &c., Mar. 18, 1662.) Mar. 4, 1656. 300 acres. On the North side of James river, & on the South side of Moses Creek.

118. Thomas Wolmsley. Mar. 4, 1656. 450 acres. On the N^{o}. side of James river, & on the Easterly side of Chickahominy, Bounded Northerly on Tyascum swamp.

150. Thomas Woodhouse & Wm Hooker. July 21, 1657. 100 Acres. In James City Island. Below Goose hill house.

196. Richard James. 5 June, 1657. 150 acres. In James City Island.

227. Christopher Harris. Ap^{l}, 1658. 450 Acres. Near Richohock path. Beg.g, &c., of Mr. Sonetts by a branch of Timber Swamp.

230. Lt. W^{m}. Newman. Apl. 20, 1658. 575 acres. Near Richohock, adjoining Christopher Harris' land.

248. Abraham Watson. Feby 10, 1657. 150 acres. Commonly called Batchelor's bank.

249. Thomas Christian. Jan'y 15, 1657. 100 acres. On the North side of James river, & on the East side of Chickahominy river, adjoining land of Capt. Bridges Freeman.

250. Darcey Oatley. (Note—This pat^{t} renewed in Thomas Hollyday's name, being Assinee, &c.) Feby 10, 1657. 350 Acres. On the N^{o}. side of James river, adjoin'g land of Edward King.

250. Thomas Young. Jan'y 15, 1657. 250 Acres. On the N^{o}. side of James river, & on the East side of Chickahominy river; bounded, viz.: North on the land formerly Mr. James's.

263. John Bishop, son & heir of John Bishop, dec^{d}. Mar. 25, 1658. 300 acres. Adjoin'g the land of Thomas Crouch & George Powell. The land formerly granted by patent unto the said John Bishop, dec^{d}. dated July 4, 1641.

293. W^{m}. Hall, sen^{r}. Feby 10, 1657. 200 acres. On the North side of James river, Bounded East on old Knight's land.

316. Thomas Kirke. Octr. 1658. 110 acres. Between the branches of Powhatan.

316. John Lingo. Octr. 6, 1658. 300 acres. On the N^{o}. side of Chickahominy river, Beg'g, &c., at the head of a branch of Tyascour near the great Indian field.

(Note—Patt. renewed, &c., & 70 acres added.)

351. Capt. Richard Barnhouse. Feby 7, 1658. 900 acres. On the West side of Burchen Swamp.
(Note—The pat^{t}. renewed, &c., Feby 26, 1665.)

358. John Bromfield. Mar. 1, 1658. 1000 acres. On the South side of Chickahominy river—Beg.g, &c., in the mouth of Mattahuncks neck, & over the said neck to Webb's run.
(Note—The pat^{t}. renewed in Tower's name Feby 11, 1663.)

358. Philip Charles. Mar. 17, 1658. 1690 acres. Part of the Land lying on Chickahominy river, adjoin'g the land of Willm. Taylor. The remainder of the land lying upon the Southermost branch of Warreny creek.

363. Thomas Hampton. Mar. 8, 1658. 400 acres. On the North side of a branch of Tyascum.

366. Richard Hamlett. Mar. 10, 1658. 497 acres. On the N^{o}. E^{t}. side of Chickahominy river & on the E^{t}. side of Warreny creek, als Tyascum.
(Note—The pat^{t}. renewed, &c., Octr. 21, 1662.)

366. Willm. Harris, son of Willm. Harris, late dec^{d}. Octr 1st, 1658. ½ acre. In James City. Beg'g at a little above the dwelling house of the Said Harris.

368. William Smith. Ap^{l}. 6, 1659. 400 acres. On the East side of Chickahominy river, adjoining the land of Major Holt, Matthew Williams, &c.

368. James Stuttle. Ap^{l} 14, 1659. 400 acres. On the w^{t}. side of Powhatan swamp adjoin'g the land of S^{r}. W^{m}. Berkeley.

373. S^{r}. W^{m}. Berkeley. Mar. 165℘. 5062 acres. Betwixt the head of Powhatan Swamp & Jones Creek.

384. Capt. John Underwood. Novr. 25, 1661. 1200 acres. On the E^{t}.ly side of Tyascum, Bound^{d}., &c., Northerly on Richohock path.

389. Nicholas Bush. Octr. 21, 1662. 317 acres. On the North side of James river, & on the East side of Chickahominy.

396. Thomas Marston. Octr. 31, 1662. 1640 acres. On the North side of the head of Chickahominy river, adjoin'g the land of Gerrard Johnson.

406. Richard Neaw. Oct. 20, 1662. 750 acres. On the North side of James river, & on the East side of Chickahominy river. (Note—Formerly granted Neaw Apl. 6, 1655.)

423. John Fitchett. Oct. 18, 1662. ½ acre. In James City. Beg'g on the N° Side of the path that goes to Mr. Chiles.

425. Richard New. Oct. 20, 1662. 750 acres. On the N°. Side of James river, & on the —— side of Chickahominy river. Bound'g So. E^t^. on Marg^t^.—land So. E^t^. on Thomas Brookes's land.

429. William Drummond. Mar. 26, 1662. 1209 acres. On Chickahominy river, Beg'g at the next point of land above Warrenny landing place.

435. Monjoy Evelin. June 20, 1651. 650 acres. In the county of James City, on the So. side of the river, 200 acs. thereof bounding East upon another parcel of land herein granted to s^d^. Evelin, & formerly Edward Grandon's.

445. George Smith. Octr. 20, 1662. 502 acres. Before Westham path, & adjoin'g upon the land of Thomas Meredith upon the branch of Chickahominy Swamp, called by the name of Dover quarter.

451. William Harrison. Jany last, 1660. 900 acres. On the S°. side of James river, upon the head Florida hundred Creek.

452. Peter Efford. Feby. tenth, 1660. 900 acres. In the Counties of James City & York among the branches of Powhatan Swamp & Queen's creek.

458. Dorothy Foard (widow). Mar. 28, 1661. 115 acres. Upon the E^t^. side of the swamp called Drinking swamp, & adjoining to the dividend of land where the said Dorothy now liveth.

468. Francis Burnell. Feb'y 18, 1660. 1000 acres. Upon the main branch of Chickahominy swamp; adjoining the land of Capt. Gooch & Willm Pulliam.

470. Phillip Freeman. May 2, 1661. 1000 acres. Upon the N°. Side of Chickahominy main swamp, Beg'g at a corner beech (by the swamp) of Thos. Meredith's land.

475. John Phipps. May 4, 1661. ½ acre. In James City.

475. William May. May 20, 1661. ½ acre. In James City, bounded Southerly with land reputed Mr. Chiles'—Westerly & Northerly with the land of John Phipps.

477. William Hickman. Mar. 9, 1660. 300 acres. Upon the N°. side of Deascum swamp.

477. William Hickman & Peter Gill. Mar. 9, 1660. 1000 acres, situate part in James City & part in New Kent Counties, adjoin'g the land of Charles Woodington & Willm. Blakey.

478. Edward Price. May 3, 1661. 600 acres. Nigh Toweywick swamp, nigh the land of Francis Burnell, dec^{d}.

481. Julian Allam. June 18, 1663. 200 acres according to the antient lawful bounds thereof now in the possession of the said Julian, at or near Dancing Point.

487. William Hitchman. Sept. 24, 1660. 1000 acres. On the N^{o}. E^{t}. side of Tyascum swamp adjoin'g David Cant's land.

508. S^{r}. Willm. Berkeley. Octr. 27, 1662. 5062 acres. Lying betwixt the head of Powhatan Swamp & Jones' Creek.

513. Sr. Willm Berkeley. Mar. 7, 1661. 2090 acres. One thousand & ninety acres, part thereof, north upon the land which formerly belonged to Robt. Wetheroll & Wm Edwards East upon Poetan.

549. Thomas Christian. Janny 15, 1657. 100 acres. On the N^{o}. side of James river, & on the East side of Chickahominy river. Bounded, viz.: along the marked trees of Capt. Freeman.

593. Thomas Warburton. Feb. 1, 1664. 200 acres. On the N^{o}. side of Poetan swamp, Beg'g, &c., unto a swamp called the boiling spring swamp.

602. George Gilbert & Richard Scruely. Jany 3, 1663. 1000 acres. On the N^{o}. Side of the swamp of Chickahominy river. Beg'g, &c., E^{t}. S^{o}. E^{t}. line of a former dividend belonging to the said Richard Scruely & Charles Woodington.

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(To be Continued.)

GASKINS FAMILY.

Thomas Gaskoyne came to Virginia in the *Bona Nova,* and was thirty-four years old in 1625 (Hotten's *Lists of Emigrants to America*). In 1636 Thomas Gaskins received a grant of land for the transportation of Thomas Gaskins, Elizabeth Gaskins, Josiah Gaskins, Mary Gaskins, Alice Gaskins, Josiah Gambling, and for his own adventure. (Land Office Records.)